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Applicant(s): Mladen Mercep et al.

NOVEL NONSTEROIDAL ANTI-INFLAMMATORY SUBSTANCES, COMPOSITIONS AND Invention:

METHODS FOR THEIR USE

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED** 

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated August 2, 2005, rejecting claims 1, 2 and 5-45, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 39 of this paper.

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